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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PINS MY

SUBJECT: MALAYSIAN INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE ASSASSINATED

REF: KL 2575

1. MALAYSIAN INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE, TAN SRI ABDUL RAHMAN BIN HASHIM, ASSASSINATED EARLY FRIDAY MORNING IN DOWNTOWN KL. DETAILS SKETCHY AT THIS TIME, BUT HE APPARENTLY ON WAY TO WORK, STOPPED CAR TO INVESTIGATE CROWD, AND WAS SHOT AND KILLED BY ONE OR MORE UNKNOWN ASSAILANT(S). ASSAILANT(S) HAVE NOT BEEN APPREHENDED.

2. AT THIS TIME THE ASSUMPTION IS THAT ASSASSINATION WAS WORK OF COMMUNIST TERRORISTS (CT). ABDUL RAHMAN WAS SPECIAL BRANCH OFFICER PRIOR TO BECOMING INSPECTOR-GENERAL. IF THIS IS WORK OF CT, WHICH SEEMS LIKELY, IT IS DIRECT ANSWER TO PRIME
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MINISTER'S SPEECH OF JUNE 2 INVITING TERRORISTS TO GIVE UP THEIR

STRUGGLE (PARA 4 REFTTEL).
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